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ADDENDUM

to the December 24, 2003 Notice of Funding Availability

CalHome Program

Self-Help Housing Technical Assistance Allocation

March 26, 2004

I am pleased to announce that in accordance with the recently adopted change to the California Self-Help Housing Program Regulations, technical assistance grants may be awarded to eligible applicants for owner-building in an amount that shall not exceed \$300,000. Allowable costs include those incidentally, but directly related to construction and include planning, engineering, construction management, architectural and other design work, environmental impact reports and assessments, required mitigation expenses, appraisals, legal expenses and necessary easements.

This change is being made to the Notice of Funding Availability issued on December 24, 2003. This change is effective immediately.

All other aspects of the NOFA remain in effect.

Thank you for your interest in the CalHome Program, Self-Help Housing Technical Assistance Allocation. If you have any questions regarding these changes, please call Dee Franklin at (916) 445-9581.

Sincerely yours,

William J. Pavão Deputy Director